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## **Amendment**

Sir:

Applicant submits this AMENDMENT within five months following the Examiner's Action dated February 4, 2005. Please extend the time to respond two months to expire July 4, 2005, and charge the extension fee of \$450.00 under § 1.17(a)(2) to Deposit Account 18-1730. If Applicant owes any other fee (including any fees under § 1.17 or all required extension of time fees), please also charge that fee to Deposit Account 18-1730. Please treat this paper (and any future reply) as incorporating a petition for extension of time for the appropriate length of time, in the event that an extension is required.

## Applicant's amendment

Please amend paragraph [0001] of the specification as follows:

[0001] The present application is a continuation application based on U.S. Patent Application 08/869,857 08/867,857, filed June 3, 1997, which claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application 60/019,196, filed June 6, 1996.